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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PDIP, AF, US
SUBJECT: APPOINTMENT OF NEW AFGHAN AMBASSADOR TO US

REF: STATE 168732 (NOTAL)

1. WHEN I SAW FOREIGN MINISTER AMIN THIS MORNING, I INFORMED HIM THAT THE WHITE HOUSE HAD ADVISED THE STATE DEPT ON JULY 3RD THAT THE APPOINTMENT OF NUR AHMED NUR AS AMBASSADOR WAS AGREEABLE TO THE UNITED STATES. SIMILAR NOTIFICATION, I SAID, WAS BEING PASSED TO THE AFGHAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON. AS MIGHT BE EXPECTED, THE FOREIGN MINISTER WAS DELIGHTED WITH THE NEWS.

2. NUR ASKED ME IF THE DEPARTMENT'S MESSAGE MEANT HIS GOVERNMENT COULD MAKE A PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE APPOINTMENT. I SAID YES AND THAT THE EMBASSY WOULD BE CONFIRMING BY DIPLOMATIC NOTE ON JULY 5TH THE GRANTING OF THE AGREEMENT.

3. IN ANSWER TO MY QUESTION, AMIN SAID HE COULD NOT SAY WHEN NUR WOULD BE LEAVING FOR WASHINGTON BUT HE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE SOON.

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